

A transcription of
Navvies to the Fourteenth Army by A H
Pilcher.

This book was published in Calcutta in 1947,
believed for Private Circulation, and was
illustrated with black and white plates and line
drawing maps, which however are not
contained in the following transcription. The
book cover and two photographs may be
seen in the webpage

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The author was Col. A H Pilcher who at the
outbreak of the Second World War
commanded the Assam Valley Light Horse. In
March 1942 he was put in charge of raising a
labour force from the Tea Plantations to build
the Manipur/Burma Road to evacuate the
14th Army and also the many civilians who
were fleeing Burma.

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